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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 MICHAEL RHYMES,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 JOHN KEAST, et al.,

14 Defendants.

Case No. 3:17-cv-00679-MMD-CLB

**STIPULATION AND ORDER TO
CONTINUE TRIAL**

15 Plaintiff Michael Rhymes in proper person, and Defendants, Romeo Aranas, Gaylene
16 Fukagawa, John Keast, Melissa Mitchell, Candis Rambur and Theresa Wickham, by and through
17 counsel, Aaron D. Ford, Attorney General of the State of Nevada, and Douglas R. Rands, Senior
18 Deputy Attorney General, hereby stipulate to request the Court continue the trial which is currently set
19 to commence August 9, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.

20 The reason for the request for continuance is that the Plaintiff is currently in the process of
21 looking for an attorney to assist him in this case. Additionally, Counsel for the Defendant is involved
22 in other jury trials, both before and after the scheduled time for this matter that will make it difficult to
23 proceed. This request and stipulation is made for legitimate purposes and not for the purpose of delay.
24 Additionally, this is the first such request. Therefore, the parties request that this Court continue the
25 matter to a time convenient to the Court's calendar.

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DATED this 3RD day of JULY, 2021

DATED this 8th day of JULY, 2021

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Jury trial continued to January 3, 2022 at 9:00 AM. Telephonic calendar call is set for December 27, 2021 at 1:00 PM.

IT IS SO ORDERED.


UNITED STATES JUDGE

DATED: July 8, 2021